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PRICE TWO CENTS.

ROTARY RAISES THE CHARITY DEFICIT

Four Hundred Dollars Subscribed at Noon Luncheon Today For Charity Work.

NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS MADE

And Immediately Set in Action By Practical Demonstration of Rotary Principles.

The Seymour Rotary Club gave a practical demonstration today of the principle on which the club is founded. "He profits most who serves best." Four hundred dollars was pledged to make up the deficit of over three hundred dollars which the Seymour Charity organization has carried over from the work of the last two winters, and to provide an additional sum for necessary work for the coming winter. The subject was presented by Albert H. Ahlbrand and met an instantaneous response on the part of the Rotarians. L. C. Griffiths, chairman of the charity organization told of the heavy work needed during the severe winter two years ago which required more funds than were available, and this added to the small additional expense last year made the present deficit, part of which is carried as a loan, and part in open accounts by the merchants of Seymour. Rev. J. H. More, Prof. T. A. Mott and others spoke of the value of the work done. A paper was passed along the table for subscriptions by the members with the result that \$400.00 was promptly subscribed in amounts ranging from \$5.00 to \$50.00.

It is a source of real gratification not only to the Rotary Club but to the citizens of Seymour that the charity deficit has been provided for, and that the debt which has been hanging over the work for nearly two years is completely provided for and the new season is started with a balance on hands for needed work. A motion made by Nathan Kaufman was passed that the Rotary Club in the future get behind the charity work of the city, and see that needed funds are provided. Prof. Mott made the significant statement that since the saloons have closed and wages have advanced that there is very little charity work needed in the city, but that there are a very few urgent cases now that need attention. Rev. J. H. More presided at the luncheon, and for a choir selected an inter-church group by having one member from each church represented in the club make up the leaders of song for the day. The roll call responses were New Year's resolutions by the individual members, including both serious and humorous efforts. The club voted to send its best wishes and flowers to their fellow member, Dr. G. G. Graessle, who is in the hospital following an operation Monday afternoon. A committee consisting of W. L. Federmann, W. C. Young and John H. Connor was appointed to make arrangements for attendance at the state meeting of Rotary Clubs at Fort Wayne February 11. Prof. Mott expressed the thanks of the committee which had in charge the arrangement and distribution of Christmas baskets this year for the gifts made by the Rotary Club. Fifty-five baskets were distributed. C. H. Wiethoff made a brief address on "What is Rotary?" and Don A. Bollinger rendered instrumental music.

Carnival Dance.

A carnival dance, as a New Year Eve affair, is to be given at the Majestic theater tomorrow night following the regular evening's program. The Majestic's special orchestra will furnish the music for the dancing. The stage and the spacious corridor will be arranged for the dancers and provisions will also be made for the spectators. It is expected that a large number of young people will attend. A charge of fifty cents per couple will be made.

Grocery Closing Notice.

All groceries will close at noon on New Year's day. d31d

Fresh oysters. Kelley's Lunch Stand. Phone 296. a27d-af

THOMAS CLOTHING COMPANY HAS BEEN RE-ORGANIZED

New Firm Will Do Business Under The Name of Carter-Collins Clothing Company.

Announcement was made today of a change in the name of the Thomas Clothing Company to that of the Carter-Collins Clothing Company. The well-known clothing firm will do business hereafter under the new name.

The officers of the clothing company which is incorporated under the laws of Indiana are Claud Carter, president; Perry Collins, vice president; L. C. Griffiths, secretary; H. H. Carter, treasurer. The clothing stock was purchased by the new company several weeks ago from the Thomas company and has been doing business under the name of the Thomas Company until the firm could be re-organized under the corporation laws.

DRY LAWS CHANGE NEW YEAR REVELRY

Usual Round of Merry Making Must Proceed Without Assistance of King Alcohol.

ORGIES OF PAST ARE HISTORY

January 1 Formerly Brought Extra Work for Peace Officers and Police Court.

Conditions are rapidly changing and nowhere is this more true than in the manner in which the New Year is welcomed. Formerly, when prohibition was a dream of a few people who were regarded as fanatics, King Alcohol was the principal fun maker on New Year's eve. Bottles popped merrily about the midnight hour on December 31 and each "pop" added to the gaiety of the night's celebration. Worries and troubles were drowned in liquor of various kinds, and January 1 was famed for new resolutions and a certain well known color which clung tenaciously to the celebrants' taste.

January 1 in those days brought business to the city court. Frequently as many as a dozen or more revelers, with tousled hair and drooping eyes, would appear before the city judge, answer "guilty" as something was read from a printed form in which written dates were inserted, pay the customary \$11 and then drag themselves from the court room, vowing that never again would they touch the "stuff." But on the following New Year's eve they would forget their experiences of the year previous and take it upon themselves to drink a toast to the Old Year and the New Year on the slightest provocation and sometimes without being even invited.

Saloons reaped a fortune on the night of December 31 as the happy crowds of merry makers gathered in front of the polished bar to "help the New Year get a good start on her grind of 365 days." Sometimes extra policemen were placed on duty to keep the merriment from bursting forth into unlawfulness.

But conditions have changed now. The saloon has disappeared and the individual that has a bottle or so of any kind of liquor that tests better than two and three-fourths percent, keeps it hiding place a personal secret. With the coming of national prohibition, the wild scenes which were staged in the cafes in large cities become memories. Toasts tomorrow night will be offered with glasses or water or something else not stronger than pop or ginger ale. The old time New Year orgy is a thing of the past and in its stead has come a new form of merry making. The New Year will be received in the spirit of carnival without its "wild features."

Mai-Gen. Barry Dead.

By United Press

Washington, December 30—Major General Thomas Barry, former commander of West Point, died early today at Walter Reed Hospital.

Notice to Seniors.

Mr. Ellis is ready to take Senior pictures. Students must be at studio between Tuesday and Saturday. Business manager of the Patriot.

INCOME TAX DUE AFTER JANUARY 1

Heavy Penalty Imposed for Those Who Fail to Make Returns Before First of March.

EXEMPTIONS ARE UNCHANGED

Ordinary Taxpayers Will Not Be Required to Pay as Much as He Did Last Year.

Individuals, firms and corporations required to settle with the government under the income tax law are giving attention to the provisions of that measure. Several changes have been made during the year and some taxpayers will not be required to pay as much as they did one year ago.

Heavy penalties are imposed for those who fail to file their returns before Jan. 1 and 15. The full tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return or if it is desired to make the payments in four installments the first must be paid by March 15, the second by June 15, the third by Sept. 15, and the fourth by Dec. 15. The period for which the income tax is assessed is the calendar year of 1919.

The ordinary taxpayers will not be obliged to pay as much as last

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SEARCH TRAIN FOR GIRL.

Officer Asked to Watch Here For Loogootee Girl.

J. T. Abell, chief of police, received a long distance telephone call from Loogootee Monday afternoon asking that he watch for a fifteen-year-old girl said to be running away from home to get married. The girl boarded Baltimore & Ohio train No. 2 at Loogootee with a ticket to this city. When the train arrived here Chief Abell and Officer Wallace searched the passenger coaches for the girl without avail. It was learned from the conductor that a girl answering the description left the train at Mitchell. It was also learned that the man whom she intended to marry had taken an earlier train for Mitchell and the supposition is that they took a train at that place for Louisville and that the girl purchased a ticket for this city for the deception of her parents. The local officers have not learned whether the couple were apprehended before being married.

SHOPMEN AND CLERKS PRESS WAGE BOOST DEMAND

Representatives Insist Upon Answer From Rail Director Hines Immediately.

By United Press

Washington, Dec. 30—Executives of railroad shopmen and clerks today asked a conference with Rail Director Hines to discuss the union's demands for wage increases according to a statement at the office of B. M. Jewell, acting head of the railroad department of the American Federation of Labor. The union men will probably confer with Hines late today or tomorrow.

The request for a talk with Hines followed a meeting of shopmen, railroad clerks, and maintenance of way employees, all of whom are pressing wage demands. Federal control of railroads for an indefinite period beyond March 1, the date set by President Wilson for their return to private ownership, loomed as a possibility today. As a result of the stand of railroad labor leaders, representing 2,000,000 workers in favor of federal control for two years, railroad workers are expected within the next few days to renew pressure on the railroad administration.

BONDS AUTHORIZED

Petition of Interstate Public Service Co. Granted.

By United Press

Indianapolis, Dec. 30—The public service commission today authorized the Interstate Public Service Commission to issue \$499,000 in thirty year five per cent. bonds. The bonds are to be used for refunding present indebtedness and making extensions and improvements.

FIRST ENTRY IN COUNTY PRIMARY

Mayor C. W. Burkart Announces

Candidacy for Democratic Nomination for Auditor.

SELECTION TO BE MADE MAY 4

In Case of His Success in County Race He Would Lose Last Year of Term as Mayor.

The battle lines in county politics are being drawn and before many days the usual campaign bombardment will be well under way. Attention was drawn to county political affairs today by the formal announcement of Mayor C. W. Burkart that he would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county auditor in the primary to be held May 4. It has been known for some time that the Seymour mayor was casting longing eyes toward the job now held by Albert Luedtke and his formal announcement does not occasion great surprise.

This is Mayor Burkart's first plunge into the county political arena, although he has served as Mayor and city treasurer by election and city clerk by appointment during the administration of Mayor John A.

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CONCORDIA RAMBLERS LOSE TO S. H. S. ALUMNI TEAM

Former Stars Take Speedy Basketball Game, 43 to 31, on Lutheran Floor.

The victory wreath of the Concordia Ramblers was lifted last night at the Lutheran Club by the S. H. S. Alumni basketball team, 43 to 31. After defeating the local L. S. A. S. squad and the Walther League quintet of Columbus, the Ramblers lost to a team of former high school basketball stars who were out of training and had never played together.

After a few minutes of hard play the Alumni quintet left their opponents trailing behind. Snow had an exceptionally good eye for the basket, making fifteen of the twenty-five points scored by his team in the first half. Schwartzkopf led the Ramblers, scoring nine of their eleven points for the same period.

The second half was very close and would be considered an extra good game. The Ramblers out-played the Alumni this half, scoring twenty to the ex-high school stars eighteen points. Taking advantage of the large lead, the Alumni slackened their pace and allowed their opponents to score within five points of a tie score. The margin was steadily increased as the former S. H. S. players regained their stride and scored a 43 to 31 victory.

The Concordia Ramblers have a fast and scrappy team and are well pleased with the showing they made here during their Christmas vacation. They fight from start to finish and possess an excellent team spirit, playing a hard and clean game. Considering the teams they played here, their record of two games won and one lost is very good.

Summary of the game follows:
Ramblers (31) Alumni (43)
Schroer, f. Keach, f.
Schwartzkopf, f. Boyles, f.
Bueheimer, c. Snow, c.
Toerne, g. Seelinger, g.
Hoefkamp, g. Priest, g.
Field Goals—Schroer 3, Schwartzkopf 6, Bueheimer 3, Toerne 3, Keach 6, Boyles 4, Snow 9, Priest, Foul Goals—Schwartzkopf 3, Snow 3.
Referee—Frye, L. S. A. S.
Umpire—Topie, L. S. A. S.

Notice Change of Schedule.

Seymour-Brownstown-Vallonia Bus Line.

Leave Seymour, 8 a. m., 4 p. m.
Leave Vallonia (for Seymour) 12 noon 6 p. m.
Leave Brownstown (for Seymour) 12:20 p. m., 6:20 p. m.

Fire Escape Erected.

A new fire escape has been erected at the Lutheran club house. This was ordered to comply with the Indiana law requiring outside exits from all floors above the ground.

HECKMAN-KASTING WILL CASE PROGRESSING SLOWLY

Cynthia J. Donahue Granted a Divorce from Louis A. Donahue in Court Today.

The Heckman-Kasting will case which started in the Jackson circuit court Monday is progressing slowly. The plaintiffs introduced several witnesses this morning following which the defense started to present its side of the case. The plaintiffs will introduce more witnesses before the case is completed. The case will require another day for trial and it is likely that it will not be completed Wednesday.

Judge James A. Cox this morning granted a divorce in the case of Cynthia J. Donahue vs. Louis A. Donahue. The case of Ella Wright vs. Southern Indiana Power Company for damages which was set for trial Wednesday has been postponed. The case was venued from Lawrence county.

TO PROBE LEAKS FROM HIGH COURTS

Government Announces Determination to Prosecute Those Guilty.

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE

Department of Justice Refuses to Reveal Names of Those Thought Found Guilty.

By United Press

Washington, Dec. 30—The government today determined to prosecute persons who may be responsible for "leaks" from the United States supreme court. Announcement was made by Attorney General Palmer that evidence collected by the bureau of investigation of the department of justice on charges that important decisions have been known in Wall street before they were announced by the court, will be submitted to a grand jury in the district of Columbia sometime next May. The government it was stated, has placed all the evidence in the hands of District Attorney Laskey in Washington. The department refuses to reveal the names of persons who will be charged with having obtained secret information and using it for financial purposes.

ITALIAN SENATE VOTED CONFIDENCE IN CABINET

Foreign Minister Scialcia, Tells of Conversation with Premier Lloyd George.

By United Press

Rome, Dec. 30—The senate today voted confidence in the cabinet, 117 to 13. The vote followed a lengthy explanation of the recent London conference by Foreign Minister Scialcia and a speech on the international situation by Premier Nitti. When Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain informed him of the contents of allied memorandum to Italy, the foreign minister said he replied, "I refuse to accept it." The British premier then would not press Scialcia for acceptance, Scialcia added.

WILSON MAY ISSUE CALL FOR THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

President, It is Said, Has Power Even if U. S. Rejects The Treaty.

By United Press

Washington, December 30—The proposition of President Wilson issuing a formal call for the first meeting of the league of nations at Paris is "in the air." Secretary of State Lansing said today. This was generally taken to mean that the matter is under consideration both at the White House and the state department. At the state department it was stated that President Wilson has the authority to call a meeting if he so desires, despite this country's rejection of the treaty.

Sam Jackson, city mail carrier, who underwent an operation at the Schneck Memorial hospital Monday, is reported to be recovering as well as could be expected.

DECISION IS LEFT TO LEGISLATORS

Goodrich to Call Special Session of Legislature if Only Suffrage Amendment is Considered.

FRANCHISE LEAGUE REQUEST

Members Write to Assemblymen to Secure Promise to Present no Other Legislation.

By United Press

Indianapolis, December 30—A special session of the Indiana legislature will be called immediately for the purpose of ratifying the national woman's suffrage amendment, providing the members of the assembly will give assurance they will take up no other measures.

The announcement was made in a letter to Miss Helen Benbridge, of Terre Haute, president of the woman's franchise league of Indiana following a request of a committee of the league that a definite statement of the Governor's intentions be made. The Governor stated in his letter that he fully expected to call a special session in January, but an ordinary special session could not be called because the constitutionality of important legislation is now before the courts and it would be necessary to call a second special session if the courts rule against the state.

The franchise league will communicate immediately with the members of the legislature asking them to pledge themselves not to take up any other business in the session called for the purpose of ratifying the amendment.

HAPGOOD WILL NOT RETURN AS MINISTER TO DENMARK

Asks President Not to Send His Name for Renomination To The Senate.

By United Press

Washington, Dec. 30—Norman Hapgood, whose commission as American minister to Denmark has expired, has requested President Wilson not to send his nomination to the present senate, it was learned today at the state department. Hapgood's request, it was said, was made to avoid embarrassment to the administration as a result of charges that he had been sympathetic to the Bolshevik while he was in Copenhagen and had tried to negotiate a loan from New York bankers for the soviet regime. The state department's account of Hapgood's retirement was backed at the White House where it was also made known that Hapgood will make public answer to the charges that he was in sympathy with the Bolshevik.

COMPREHENSIVE LAWS NEEDED NOW, GARY SAYS

Head of United States Steel Corporation Expresses Views as to Industrial Strife.

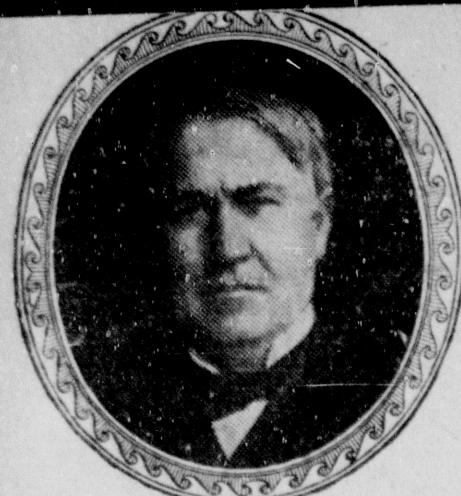
By United Press

New York, Dec. 30—"Comprehensive laws rather than voluntary arbitration are necessary to absolutely protect everyone against imposition on the part of capital or labor," Judge Elbert Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, declared in a statement today.

Judge Gary plainly intimated that he was not entirely in accord with the recommendations made yesterday by President Wilson's industrial conference for settlement of disputes between capital and labor.

He was a member of the previous group that sought to make recommendations for the solution of the industrial problem. The steel magnate referred to the present labor troubles as disputes between labor union leaders and managers of business. He declared "the public must know" that labor unions have "decreased production, added to costs and raised the expense of living."

The condition of Dr. G. G. Graessle, prominent physician, who underwent an operation at the Schneck Memorial hospital Monday, is very satisfactory according to reports from the hospital today.



EDISON Re-Creations for January

Fluffy Ruffles—One Step Green Bros. Novelty Orchestra
Breakfast in My Bed on Sunday Mornin'... Glen Edison,
Miss Trombone, New York Military Band
Uncle Josh and Aunt Nancy Put Up the Kitchen Stove
Cal Stewart and Ada Jones

Uncle Josh and the Honey Bees... Cal Stewart
Waltz Memories... Jaudas' Society Orchestra
Alexander's Band Is Back In Dixieland... Premere Quartet
Say It Again... Rachael Grant and Billy Murray
I Know What It Means to Be Lonesome... Margaret A. Freer
Moonlight Love... Helen Clark

E. H. HANCOCK

MUSIC CO.
Opposite Interurban Station

Watchnight Meeting.

There will be a watchnight meeting held at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church on Wednesday evening, December 31st, beginning at 9 o'clock. The series of meetings during the evening will close with the administration of the communion in the changing moments of the old to the new year. An interesting and instructive evening is assured to all who will come. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

PRINCESS TO-DAY

Episode 10
"ELMO THE MIGHTY"

Episode 6
"THE TRAIL OF THE OCTOPUS"

HAROLD LLOYD in
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TOMORROW
"THE ONE WOMAN"

By Thomas Dixon, Author of
"The Birth of a Nation"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
Mary Miles Minter in
"ANNE OF GREEN GABLES"
by L. M. Montgomery

FORMER JACKSON COUNTY BOY KILLED IN ACTION

Mother of Lewis Tabor Receives
Notice From Government Con-
cerning Her Son.

Lewis Tabor, son of Mrs. Susan Tabor, of Columbus, and a former resident of Jackson county, was killed in action on July 18, 1918, according to information received by his mother from the government. The soldier was born and reared at Brownstown and has one brother, Edward Tabor residing there. The Columbus Herald contained the following article:

Mrs. Susan Tabor of South Washington street has been notified by the government that her son, Private Lewis Tabor, was declared killed in action on July 18, 1918, in overseas duty. The letter was received by Mrs. Tabor Saturday, and came as an answer to an inquiry made by Mrs. Tabor after failing to hear from her son.

Private Tabor was one of the first Bartholomew county boys to go overseas, and for a while after he landed his mother heard from him. He was at one time reported wounded, but recovered, and his mother received letters regularly from him. His letters suddenly ceased coming, and it was feared he had either been wounded again or killed. She made repeated inquiries, but not until the present letter was his death confirmed.

In the letter it was stated the matter of his insurance would be taken up immediately.

William Koop, of Indianapolis, was here this morning enroute to Prownstown to spend a few days the guest of relatives.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1919.

WOOD ALCOHOL POISONING

More than two hundred deaths from wood alcohol poisoning have occurred since July 1, when nationwide prohibition became effective. Many others have been stricken blind and scores of others made seriously ill by drinking the poison mixture which was sold for whiskey. The casualty rate has mounted so rapidly since Christmas Day that federal and state authorities are striving to ascertain who are guilty of selling the liquor. Arrests have already been made in New York and other eastern cities.

The public has read the accounts of the "blind deaths" with alarm. It is startled that so many lives have been claimed. Everywhere arises the demand that the guilty parties be punished. Yet the casualty rate from the poison alcohol is comparatively small to the deaths and the cases of affliction which resulted from excessive use of what was known as "good hieker." No village was so small that it could not add at least one death a year traceable direct to habitual intoxication. The number in the large cities was so great that it was difficult to make an accurate record of them.

The parties who are selling colored wood alcohol as whiskey are bootleggers of the worst variety. They are willing to exchange lives of others for cash. The authorities ought to break up the gang promptly and assurance is given that every energy will be devoted to this end. The publicity of the cases of blind death ought to serve as a warning of the danger of buying liquor from bootleggers, who are not licensed, who are forced to operate in secret and who will go to any extremity to enrich themselves. The danger of buying liquor from such dealers is increasing and the present condition will doubtless serve to decrease such illegal sales to a greater extent than the activity of the forces of law.

The entrance of James W. Fesler,

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China and Georgette
Waists on sale right
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INVESTIGATE

SIMON'S

of Indianapolis, into the race for the republican nomination for governor is sure to attract added attention to that already interesting contest. Mr. Fesler is prominent in Republican politics and has a wide acquaintance throughout the state. He has been affiliated with the leadership of the party in this state for a number of years. His activity in organization work and his recognized ability are expected to prove valuable to him. Mr. Fesler's announcement makes five candidates for the Republican nomination. Ed Jackson, Ed Toner, Edgar D. Bush and Warren T. McCray are the other candidates.

Another good thing about the soft drink New Year celebration is that

For Your

Protection

The Optometrical Society of Indianapolis, Ind., has inaugurated a campaign of education and adopted a MARK by which the public may recognize its members from those who attempt to prescribe glasses by guess and by luck. We want the public to understand what is back of this MARK that they may be protected by it from those who often practice without knowledge and conscience.

Always look for this MARK in the establishment of the person who seeks to correct your defective vision. If it is not conspicuously displayed TAKE NO CHANCES. It is not necessary. This mark assures you protection.

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Bananas, per dozen..... 30c
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Cranberries, Lettuce, Celery, fancy groceries.
Most everything for Christmas Dinner.

RAY R. KEACH

one feels so much better on January 1.

B. the way, what about the New Year resolutions?

Misses Harriett Montgomery, Hat-
tie Roeger and Alma and Frances
Switzer spent today in Louisville and
witnessed a per formance of "Chu
Chin Chow" at McCauley's theatre.

Share Holders Meeting.

The share-holders of the First National Bank, of Seymour, Indiana, will meet at the banking house on Tuesday, January 13, 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may come before the meeting.
J12d Jno. A. Keegler, Cashier.

Everyone reads the Want Ads.

PRINCESS THEATRE NEW YEAR'S EVE SPECIAL

TOMORROW—MATINEE AND NIGHT
Select Pictures Stupendous Special Production
in 6 Astounding Acts

"The ONE WOMAN"

By Thomas Dixon, Author of "The Birth of a Nation"
Produced by Mastercraft, Directed by Reginald Barker

PLAYED BY AN ALL STAR CAST headed by

THURSTON HALL and CLARA WILLIAMS

SEE—The theory of Free Love, practically applied, smashed to smithereens—See two men in evening dress who fight so like primitive beasts that the theory of brotherly love is given a final knockout. Makes you laugh and cry, thrill and shudder, and leaves you something of vital importance to think about. A worthy successor to The Birth of Nation, written by the same author.

A story of life, love, religion and politics.

"DO YOU BELIEVE IN FREE LOVE?"

Also HAROLD LLOYD IN ANOTHER GLOOM DISPELLER "Crack Your Heels"

NOTE—By all means see this guaranteed attraction. If you can't come at night, attend the Matinee. Will only be shown one day.

Matinee 2:30—Children 10c, Adults 15c.
Night 7:00 and 9:00—Children 10c, Adults 20c.



Princess Theatre NEWS SPECIAL - JAN. 1 and 2

Her Witching Eyes Will Win You!

MARY MILES MINTER in "ANNE OF GREENGABLES"

from L. M. Montgomery's four "Anne" books. She gets into more trouble than the proverbial barrel of monkeys. But she always manages to get out again. A Real art Picture.

NOTE—Little Mary is taking the amusement seekers by storm in "Anne of Green Gables" just as Mary Pickford did in "Daddy Long Legs." This is a family "Picture." Bring them all along! You'll just love her and the children will too. See Window Display in Miller's book store. Miller Will sell you the books.

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YOU CAN START WITH 1 CENT, 2 CENTS, 5 CENTS, 10 CENTS, 50 CENTS, \$1.00 \$5.00 OR ANY SUM YOU WISH AND IN FIFTY WEEKS HAVE: \$12.75, \$25.50, \$63.75, \$127.50, \$25.00, \$50.00 OR \$250.00.

COME IN AND GET A BANK BOOK AND SEE HOW SMALL SUMS BANKED REGULARLY SOON GROW TO A NICE ROUND SUM.

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SEYMOUR, INDIANA



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"Happy New Year" is not a wish but a *prophecy* for housewives who use Valier's Enterprise Flour. It means happiness for you and your family *every day* of the year.

For happiness, you see, is really founded on good health, and good health is promoted by good home cooking and baking.

Valier's Enterprise Flour

assures you of the *best baking possible* and gives your family the full benefit of delicious things made at home.

Doesn't that sound good? Why, the highest compliment you can pay a dish is to say that "it's just like mother used to make." And with good reason.

The hardihood and strength of our nation was built on good home cooking in the past, and the demand for it is just as strong today. Children need it, grown-ups appreciate it, and economy dictates it.

Turn over a leaf and start the new year right. Bake at home every day of "Nineteen-Twenty" with Valier's Enterprise Flour, and give your family the full benefit of home living.

Special-milled, from the finest hard winter wheat grown (secured by the payment of an *unusually* high premium), rich in gluten, and silk-sifted to remarkable fineness, Valier's Enterprise Flour is unequalled for all baking purposes.

Try a sack today and start the new year right. Your grocer has it.

VALIER'S ENTERPRISE FLOUR
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LITTLE INTOXICATION AMONG WOMEN NOW

Same Habitual Users of Alcohol
Taking Sentence of Prohibition
Very Hard.

By United Press

Indianapolis, Dec. 30—The female "stew" is of the past—just like the barfly of pre-prohibition days.

This was the assertion today of Herman G. Morgan, secretary of the Indianapolis board of health.

"Women drunks? We used to have quite a few of them, but we don't know what they look like now," the health officer said.

The number of liquor wrecks among men is rapidly growing smaller, too, Morgan added.

"That some of the habitual users of alcohol are taking the sentence of prohibition very hard is evidenced by the fact that the city hospital receives quite a few poison cases in individuals who have attempted to mix their drinks out of every ingredient from wood alcohol to benzene," he said.

"The highest percentage of wild mixtures to-date consists of equal parts of hair tonic and hard cider. The victims of this drink get an effect which is not only exhilarating,

but lasting, particularly the headache.

"Some of the mixtures now being compounded are frequently mixed by unscrupulous individuals who do not hesitate to add a high percentage of wood alcohol, which is very poisonous and sometimes causes blindness or even death."

The detention ward which formerly housed victims of the "decees" has been abolished. Practically no cases of broken heads from Saturday night brawls are brought to the hospital, Morgan said.

We Do "Printing That Pleases."

FIRST ENTRY IN COUNTY PRIMARY

(Continued from first page)

Ross, Mayor Burkart has served as county chairman of the democratic central committee for several years and has been a member of the county committee for twenty years. In speaking of his candidacy he said that Jackson county has never had an auditor from this city.

The announcement of Mayor Burkart has special interest in that in case of his nomination and election he would take the auditor's office January 1, 1921, just one year before

he completes his term of four years as mayor of the city. This would mean that the council would be obliged to select a successor, but inasmuch as the Mayor, despite his optimism, has secured neither the nomination or election, members of the city council have not started to think about the appointment of a mayor to serve during the year 1921.

As the primary will be held May 4 it is expected that candidates for other offices will announce shortly after the first of the year. Most aspirants for public office are reluctant about making long campaigns and for this reason withhold official an-

nouncements until as late as possible. By announcing in January, however, they would have from sixty to seventy-five days to visit among the voters and present their claims and ambitions before the candidates are selected.

Miss Elva Jones, nurse at the Schneck Memorial Hospital, returned Monday evening from Loogootee, where she spent the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Dr. C. E. Wayman, of Louisville, was here this morning enroute home from a business visit in Brownstown.

January Clearance Sale

It is the custom of Ben Snyder to conduct a Clearance Sale each January to reduce the stock of coats, dresses, suits, winter underwear, in fact all winter wearing apparel carried in the store. A Ben Snyder January Clearance Sale is a feast of real bargains. Prices are cut and slashed regardless of cost in order that the stock may be reduced. By conducting our sale now you not only get the advantage of remarkably low prices on quality merchandise, but you get the advantage of having this winter apparel for use during the remainder of the cold weather. This sale will begin Wednesday morning, December 31 and will continue for ten days.

Clearance Sale Prices on Boys' Suits

We have in stock a wonderful assortment of about 200 boys' suits which we will place on sale at extraordinarily low prices—in fact cheaper than the manufacturer can produce them today. These suits are of the latest seam fitting models, of serges, worsteds Oliver Twists and such materials that will stand the hard wear that a sturdy, growing boy will give them.

Boys' Suits; \$11.00 value; good wool cloth with plenty of style; sale price.....	\$7.95
Boys' Suits; of good durable cloth; belted backs, etc., and other novelty styles; \$14.00 value; sale price.....	\$9.45
Boys' Wool Worsteds Suits; \$12.00 value; sale price.....	\$8.45
Boys' All-wool Blue Serge Suits; specially priced.....	\$12.95
Boys' Oliver Twist Suits; \$7.00 value; sale price.....	\$3.98
Boys' Overcoats; \$12.00 val.	\$6.95
Boys' Overcoats; \$15.00 val.	\$9.95
Boys' Corduroy Pants; all sizes.....	\$1.49
Boys' Suits; \$7.50 value; sizes 3 to 6.....	\$4.98
Boys' Waists and Shirts; 75c value.....	50c
Ribbed Union Suits; value \$1.50; sale price.....	\$1.00

Men Take Notice

Here is a wonderful chance for you to lay in a supply of corduroy pants, wool shirts, heavy underwear and other winter wear. Be sure to come in our store during this sale and make your selections which will mean a big saving of money.

Men's Blue Work Shirts.....	84c
Socks; 25c and 35c values.....	15c
Socks; 15c value.....	10c
Men's 60c and 75c Silk Socks.....	35c
Men's Leather-Palm Gloves.....	35c
Men's 50c Suspenders.....	29c
We have prepared a special lot of odds and ends in Men's Shirts, all \$1.25 value; sale price.....	69c
Men's Chalmers Balbriggan Union Suits; value \$2.25; sale price.....	\$1.25
\$3.00 Men's Overalls.....	\$1.98
Men's Cashmere Socks; 25c per pair.....	25c
Men's \$2.50 Cotton Sweaters.....	\$1.39
Men's Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers; \$1.25 value.....	\$1.00
Men's Fleece-lined Union Suits; \$2.50 value.....	\$1.98
Men's Heavy Ribbed Union Suits; \$2.50 value.....	\$1.79
Men's Heavy Wool Sox, 75c value.....	50c
Canvas Gloves, 25c value, per pair.....	15c
Men's Ribbed Union Suits; medium weight, \$1.75 value.....	\$1.30
Men's Silk Shirts, \$6.00 value.....	\$4.45
Men's Overalls without bibs; \$2.00 value.....	\$1.35
Men's army regulation Wool Shirts, \$5.00 value.....	\$3.69
Men's Wool Shirts in dark gray and blue, \$4.50 value.....	\$2.98
Chalmers' Shirts and Drawers, \$1.25 value.....	98c
Rockford Shirts and Drawers, \$1.25 value.....	98c
Men's Heavy Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, \$1.25 value.....	98c
Men's Jean Pants, lined throughout, \$3.50 value.....	\$2.25
Extra Heavy Khaki Trousers, \$3.00 value.....	\$2.00
Men's Heavy Cotton Gray Work Pants, \$3.00 value.....	\$2.00
Men's Corduroy Pants, \$5.00 value.....	\$3.60
Men's Mixed Wool and Cotton Sweaters, \$3.00 value.....	\$1.98

Blanket Bulletin

EXTRA—Ben Snyder Quotes the Lowest Prices in the City.

COTTON	
64x76-inch (plain).....	\$2.98
68x80-inch (plain).....	\$3.29
72x84-inch (plain).....	\$3.98
60x76-inch (plain).....	\$1.39
WOOLNAP	
64x76-inch (plain).....	\$3.98
66x80-inch (plaid).....	\$4.69
72x84-inch (plaid).....	\$4.95
PURE WOOL	
66x80-inch (plaid).....	\$9.40
66x80-inch (plaid).....	\$7.50
66x80-inch (plaid).....	\$8.49

Note—All prices quoted are for pairs.

Wonderful Waists

Not only in style, but in variety, goodness of quality and remarkably low prices. Consisting of Georgettes, Crepe de Chines, dark and light colors.	\$5.00 Georgette Waists.....	\$3.49
	\$6.00 Georgette Waists.....	\$4.49
	\$8.00 Georgette Waists.....	\$5.95
	\$4.00 Crepe de Chine Waists.....	\$2.98
	\$10.00 Georgette Waists.....	\$6.45

Separate PLAID FLANNEL SKIRTS—All wanted colors; \$15 and \$18 values; sale price.....	\$8.95
ALL WOOL BOTNEY SERGE PLAID SKIRTS—\$12.00 value; sale price.....	\$6.75

Big Suit and Coat Values

These are made up in good materials, newest models and are attractively trimmed.

You Save at Least 50%

Supreme Suit Values, \$50.00 and \$75.00 Suits, of gaberdines, botney, serges, velours and silvertones, wonderfully tailored; all splendid models; \$50 and \$75 values; on sale at.....	\$24.95
\$25.00 Suits, of good materials; these are great values; on sale at.....	\$13.95
Full Length Plush Coats; trimmed with fur collar and lined with "Sols" guaranteed lining; \$28.00 value; sale price.....	\$14.95
A Wonderful Assortment of Velvet Dresses; collars trimmed with polarine; \$30.00 value; sale price.....	\$19.95



All-wool Botney Serge Dresses; \$22.00 value; sale price.....	\$13.95
\$15.00 Plaid Skirts; sale price.....	\$8.98

Be here early if you want one of these novelty skirts. They will be grabbed up at this price.

Women's Wear

Sample Silk Shirts; assorted colors and styles; values \$6.00 and \$7.00; sale price.....	\$3.89
Women's Extra Size Blue and Black Skirts; \$6 value; sale price.....	\$3.98
Women's Union Suits; long sleeves, knee length; 85c value; sale price.....	49c
Crepe de Chine Waists; value \$3.75; sale price.....	\$2.79
Georgette Waists; \$7.00 value; sale price.....	\$3.98
Women's House Dresses; \$2.00 value; sale price.....	\$1.19
Women's Fine Underskirts; lace and embroidery bottom; \$3.00 value; sale price.....	\$1.95
Women's Vests; 20c value; sale price.....	10c
Fine Lingerie Teddy Bears, flesh and white. Gause Hose; value 25c to 35c; pair.....	15c
Muslin Underskirts; sale price.....	44c
Women's Gowns; \$1.50 and \$1.75 values; sale price.....	\$1.00
Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemises; \$3.00 and \$4.00 values.....	\$1.98
Outing Flannel Underskirts; all colors.....	50c
Crepe de Chine and Satin Camisoles; lace-trimmed; \$1.25 value; sale price.....	79c
Flannelette Gowns; \$2.00 value.....	\$1.49
Women's Knit Skirts; \$1.75 value.....	88c
Black, Fleece-lined Stockings.....	15c
Black Silk Hose; \$4.00 value.....	\$2.39
\$6.00 Georgette Waists.....	\$4.98
\$1.75 Cotton Voile Waists.....	98c
Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Union Suits; \$1.50 value.....	\$1.00
Ladies' Heavy Fleece-lined Vests and Pants; \$1.25 value.....	\$1.00
Ladies' Voile and Organdie Waists; big variety of styles; \$2.50 value.....	\$1.98
Outing Flannel Gowns, all colors; \$2.00 value.....	\$1.39
Slipover Sweaters, \$5.00 value.....	\$3.69
Ladies' extra heavy fleeced lined Union Suits, \$2.50 value.....	\$1.89
Ladies' Gingham Dresses, \$4 value.....	\$2.50
Ladies' Dark Blue Percale House Dresses, \$2.50 value.....	\$1.49

100 Children's Coats

To be Sold at a Big Sacrifice During This Clearance Sale

These coats range in size from 3 to 16 years, with or without belts, splendid materials such as broadcloth, velvet, velour, plush, and urban cloth. The colors are green, brown, Burgundy and all other colors which are favorites and are in demand this year. This is an opportunity to provide your children with warm coats for the rest of this winter and also for next year's wear.

Children's \$9.00 Coats; black plush; sizes 2 to 6; \$9.00 value; sale price.....	\$6.95
Children's \$15 Coats; with or without belts; finished with silk darts; splendid materials; collars of fur and self cloth; plenty of style. The colors are green, brown and Burgundy. \$15 value; sale price.....	\$9.95
Children's \$5.00 White Coats; sizes 2 to 6.....	\$2.98
Children's \$12.00 Coats; of good, durable cloth; belted models; sizes 6 to 14; sale price.....	\$7.95
\$18 and \$20 Coats; of velvet, velour and urban cloth; good colors; belted models; sizes 6 to 14; sale price.....	\$11.95
Children's \$22.00 Silvertone Coats; with or without belts; sale price.....	\$13.95
Children's Velvet Plush Coats; sizes 2 to 6; \$6.00 value; sale price.....	\$3.98

Children's Wear

Mothers: Be sure to supply your children with warm underwear, hose, serge dresses, etc., during this sale.

Chalmers' Union Suits for boys, extra good quality \$1.50 value, per suit.....	\$1.00
Children's Black Hose.....	10c
Children's \$5 White Coats; sizes 2 to 6.....	\$2.98
Children's Velvet Plush Coats; sizes 2 to 6; \$6.00 value.....	\$4.98
Boys' Oliver Twist Suits; \$7.00 value; sale price.....	\$4.25
\$15.00 Plush Coats.....	\$9.95
\$10.50 Coats.....	\$6.95
Boys' Overcoats; \$12.00 value.....	\$6.95
Boys' Overcoats; \$15.00 value.....	\$9.95
Boys' Overcoats; \$17.50 value, to go at.....	\$11.50
Boys' Suits; \$10 value.....	\$6.95
Boys' Suits, \$12 value.....	\$8.45
Boys' all wool Blue Serge Knickerbocker Trousers, \$4.50 value.....	\$2.98
Boys' Suits; \$7.50 value.....	\$4.98
Children's Sweaters.....	79c
Children's Middy Dresses; dark colors; \$4.00 value; sale price.....	\$2.59
\$1.50 Children's Dresses; sale price.....	\$1.00
\$2.00 Children's Dresses; sale price.....	\$1.39
Ribbed Union Suits; \$1.50 values.....	\$1.00
Children's Velvet-fleece Vests and Pants; 75c value; while they last, per garment.....	50c
Boys' Sweaters; extra special.....	\$1.24
Boys' Striped and Plain Blue Overalls, \$1.50 value.....	\$1.00
Boys' Corduroy Pants, \$2.00 value.....	\$1.60
Boys' Corduroy Pants, \$2.50 value.....	\$2.00
Chalmers' Underwear for big boys, \$1.50 value.....	\$1.00

Piece Goods

Burma Printed Gingham; per yard.....	17c
32 in. Dress Gingham, 35c value.....	25c
White Cotton Flannel; 40c value; yard.....	29c
White Outing Flannel; yard.....	19c
Lestelle Corsets; lace front; flesh and white; \$2.50 value; sale price.....	\$1.79
First Pick Nainsook; per yard.....	25c
Cheviot; per yard.....	25c
Longcloth; value 33c yard; sale price, yd.....	20c
Nainsook; 30c value; sale price, per yard.....	20c
Flowered Curtain Serim; sale price, per yard.....	18c
Bleached Sheet; 72-inch width; yard.....	59c
Zephyr Cloth, in gingham checks; 36 inches wide.....	29c
Ticking; value 30c; sale price.....	15c
Toweling; 40c value; sale price.....	20c
Bookfold Percale; yard.....	17c
Bleached Cotton, yard wide.....	22c
Good Bleached Muslin, 30c value.....	25c
Blue Grass Cambrai, 30c value.....	25c
Big Injun Bleached Muslin, best of quality, 30c value.....	25c
36-inch Percales, dark gray colors 35c values, per yard.....	23c
Dark and Light Outing Flannel, 30c value.....	23c
Gingham, 32-inch, 50c value, per yard.....	39c
Standard Dress and Apron Gingham, 30c value, per yard.....	18c
Bleached and Unbleached Crash Toweling, 30c value, per yard.....	22 1/2c

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California Hams, lb. 25c	Loose Oats, 2 lbs. 15c
Pickle Pork, lb. 22c	Oat Meal, 2 lbs. 15c
Bacon Loin Back, lb. 28c	Quaker Corn Flakes, box. 10c
Bacon by Side, lb. 26c	Hominy Grits, box. 13c
Lard Pure Hog, lb. 28c	Cream Wheat, box. 25c
Peanut Butter, lb. 25c	Mixed Nuts, 50c value, lb. 30c
Dry Peaches, lb. 30c	Almonds, 50c value, lb. 35c
Dry Prunes, lb. 25-30c	Cream Nuts, 50c value, lb. 35c
Dry Apricots, lb. 35c	Can Peas, Early June, can. 15c
Can Prunes 1 lb. can. 22c	Can Corn, can. 15c
Can Prunes 1 lb. dozen. \$2.15	Can Tomatoes, small, 2 for. 25c
Box Raisins Seedless, 18-23c	Can Tomatoes, 3 lb. can. 20c
Box Raisins Seeded, 18-23c	Can Tomatoes, 3 lbs., doz. \$2.00
Raisins Loose Seedless, lb. 25c	Canvas Gloves, pair. 15c
Mustell Loose Raisins, lb. 25c	Jersey Gloves, pair. 15c
Salted Peanuts, lb. 30c	Loose Roast Coffee, lb. 25c
Sour pickles Jumbo, doz. 30c	XXX Coffee, lb. 30c
Sweet pickles, doz. 20c	Washington Corn Flakes, box 10c
Sour pickles, doz. 20c	Michigan Hand Picked Navy Beans, lb. 10c
Quart can Apple Butter. 45c	Potatoes, No. 1, eating, peck 65c
Pretzels, lb. 20c	Potatoes, bushel. \$2.45
Barley, lb. 10c	(Worth this wholesale)
Rice full head, lb. 18c	Sugar, southern gran., lb. 22c
Grape Fruit special, 9c	

HOADLEY'S FOR CUT PRICES

Winter Specials

Alcohol, per gallon	\$1.25
Johnson Anti-freeze, per can	\$1.50
Hood and Radiator Covers, per set	\$5.00
Lap Robes, each	\$5.00
Jensen's Vaporizer—Eliminates carbon, guaranteed to increase the mileage per gallon of oil and gas, each	\$5.00
Floor Board Pads for your Ford, prevents the cold air from coming up through the floor board, per set	\$1.00

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PERSONAL

Miss Esther Ball, of Brownstown, spent today in the city with friends.

Mrs. Mino Craft, of Brownstown, spent today in the city the guest of friends.

Nathan Kaufman returned this morning from a business visit at Anderson.

John M. Lewis transacted business at the court house in Brownstown today.

William Buse went to Brownstown this morning to spend the day on business.

Miss Gail Marshall, of Shoals, was in the city this morning enroute to Indianapolis.

Lawrence Welsh, of Brownstown, was in the city this morning enroute to Louisville.

Mrs. Albert Kackley, of Zanesville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peters will go to Louisville this evening to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. F. E. Titus, of Kirkland, Ind., is here to spend a few days the guest of Mrs. Oakley Allen.

Walter Price has returned from St. Louis where he spent Sunday with his brother, Fred Price.

Harry Windhorst, of Indianapolis, came this morning to attend the Ahlbrand-Steinwedel wedding.

Firman Stewart, of Crothersville, was in the city this morning enroute home from a visit in Brownstown.

I. C. Fox and grandson returned home today from Bedford, where they have been visiting relatives for several days.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson, of Brownstown, spent today in the city the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Downing and family.

Miss Eleanor Koop, of Louisville, came here today to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Steinwedel and to attend the Ahlbrand-Steinwedel nuptials tonight.

Fayne C. Bottorff left today to resume his employment at Collier, W. Virginia, and was accompanied to Indianapolis by his mother, Mrs. C. M. Bottorff and sister, Ruth, who will visit relatives for a few days in the capital city.

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Additional Social Events.

SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

Miss Louise Nieman delightfully entertained the members of her Sunday School class, the Friendship Circle, with a six o'clock dinner at her home on South Poplar street Tuesday evening.

The rooms were decorated in keeping with the Christmas season and a small Christmas tree formed the centerpiece for the table. The dinner was served in four courses. Those present were Misses Gracia Hauenschild, Marie and Ruth Pfaffenberger, Nancy Hinsin, Pearl Kruwell, Leona Schneck, Gladys Marie Becker, of Indianapolis, and Edith King. Following the dinner a social evening was enjoyed with games and music.

GOOD CHEER PARTY.

The Good Cheer Circle of the First Baptist Sunday School were entertained Monday evening with a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Jay C. Smith on North Walnut street. A feature of the evening was a Christmas tree from which gifts were distributed by number to each one present, the gifts having been brought by each member of the circle without their knowing who would be the recipient of the gift. Stereopticon pictures were shown during the evening by Pastor F. A. Hayward and refreshments were served. Mrs. Thos. E. Ross and Mrs. Arthur P. Carter assisted the host in the evening's entertainment. Thirty-three members of the Good Cheer Circle were present.

FAMILY REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hair held a family reunion at their home at 319 S. Rural street, in Indianapolis, Sunday, Dec. 28th. Covers were laid for eighteen and a delightful dinner was served. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hair of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Himler and family of Olivet, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leach and family of Indianapolis, Mrs. Conley Davis and

daughter, Alberta of Seymour, Ind., Laura, Glen and Arthur Hair and Mr. E. Cook of this city. Mr. and Mrs. John Hair formerly resided in Seymour, Ind.

INFORMAL DANCE.

Miss Helen Barnes was hostess at an informal dance given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seba A. Barnes, North Walnut street, Monday evening. About twenty-five couples were present. Music for the dancing was furnished by a local orchestra. A luncheon was served during the evening. The out-of-town guests included Miss Dorothy New, of Panama, Miss Elizabeth Reeves, of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Swope, of Indianapolis, Carl Leathers, of Louisville and Perry Meek, of Peoria, Ill.

TUESDAY CLUB.

The Christmas meeting of the Seymour Tuesday Club was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. S. Blish, North Chestnut street. Mrs. Ethel Conner presided. A number of guests were present at the meeting.

Continuing the year's study of Greek drama, interesting papers were presented. The program announced for the afternoon follows:

Sophocles: Antigone... Mrs. Lenore Swails.

Electra... Mrs. Ada McCool.

WEDDING AND RECEPTION.

The wedding of Miss Viola Ahlbrand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Ahlbrand, and Martin W. Steinwedel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Steinwedel, will take place at 6 o'clock tonight at the Evangelical Lutheran church. The ceremony will be said by the Rev. E. H. Eggers before the company of one hundred invited guests. Following the ceremony a reception and banquet will be held in honor of the bride and groom and the bridal party at the Lutheran club house.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Chasteen of Woodstock entertained with an elaborate six o'clock dinner, the occasion being Mrs. Chasteen's birthday anniversary.

About forty guests were present. Mrs. Chasteen was the recipient of several beautiful and useful presents. The evening was spent with games and music. The guests departing at a late hour reported a most enjoyable time and joined in wishing Mrs. Chasteen many more happy birthdays.

EASTERN STAR CLUB.

The Eastern Star Club held their annual Christmas party at the club rooms in the Masonic Temple this afternoon. A special program was given one of the features which was the distribution of presents to the club members. A luncheon was served during the afternoon. A large number of the members were in attendance at the meeting.

LOYAL DEVOIR SOCIETY.

Mrs. Joe Gruber, South Chestnut street, will be hostess to the members of the Loyal Devoir Society of the Central Christian church at her home this evening.

DANCE AT COLUMBUS.

Several Seymour people will go to Columbus this evening to attend the annual charity ball to be given at the Elk's home there tonight.

Calling Cards.

One hundred calling cards, single line, for 75c. Republican Office.

"NO HUNTING" SIGNS Printed on Muslin, 10 cents each, 99c per dozen, at the SEYMOUR REPUBLICAN.

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COMING THURSDAY: NAZIMOVA IN "THE BRAT"

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2 Cent Club saves in 50 weeks	\$25.50
5 Cent Club saves in 50 weeks	\$63.75
10 Cent Club saves in 50 weeks	\$127.50
50 Cent Club saves straight	\$25.00
\$1.00 Club saves straight	\$50.00
\$5.00 Club saves straight	\$250.00

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Folks laughed at Fulton's steamboat.
Bell's telephone was thought a toy.
Automobiles were considered impracticable.
Wireless seemed an impossibility.
Submarines were a Jules Verne imagination.
The flying machine was ridiculed and derided.

Just so with newspaper advertising. It took
the necessities of winning a world's war to show
its full power and usefulness.

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Spring Wheat Flour.....	\$2.10
Corn.....	\$1.25
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Hay, Timothy baled.....	\$24.00
Clover Hay, baled.....	\$22.00
Wheat Straw.....	\$8.00
Oat Straw.....	\$10.00

POULTRY—

Hens, fat heavy.....	23c
Hens, light.....	20c
Springs, 1½ lbs. and over.....	22c
Cocks, fat.....	15c
Turkeys, old hen.....	35c
Turkeys, old.....	25c
Turkeys, young.....	35c
Geese.....	16c
Young Ducks.....	21c
Guineas, per head.....	30c@40c
Eggs.....	60c
Butter.....	38c

HIDES AND FURS—

Hides cured.....	28 to .26
Hides green.....	23 to .21
Calf Skins cured.....	55 to .51
Calf Skins green.....	48 to .46
Horse Hides.....	\$8.00 to \$6.00
Sheep Skins, recent slaughter.....	\$2.50 to \$1.50
Hog Skins.....	\$1.00 to .70
Bull Hides.....	16 to .18
Deacons.....	\$2.50 to \$1.00
Tallow.....	10 to .08
Skunk.....	\$5.50 3.50 2.00 to \$1.25
Mink.....	\$9.00 to \$3.00
Opposum.....	\$2.00 to .60
Muskrat.....	\$3.00 2.00 to \$1.00
Raccoon.....	\$6.00 to \$1.50
Fox, red.....	\$15.00 to \$5.00
Fox, grey.....	\$4.00 to 2.00
House cat.....	.50 to .20

CHICAGO GRAIN.

December 30, 1919.			
CORN			
Open	High	Low	Close
Dec 1.39½	1.42¾	1.38½	1.42¾
Jan 1.32¾	1.35¾	1.32	1.347½
May 1.31	1.33	1.30½	1.32½

OATS.

Dec. 83¼	84½	82¾	84½
Jan. 83	83¾	82¾	83¾

Indianapolis Grain Markets.

By United Press

December 30, 1919.	
CORN—Strong.	
No. 3 yellow.....	\$1.40
OATS—Strong.	
No. 3 white.....	86¾
HAY—Weak.	
No. 1 timothy.....	\$30.50@31.00
No. 2 timothy.....	\$29.50@30.00
No. 1 clover.....	\$29.00@29.50

Indianapolis Live Stock.

HOGS—	
Receipts.....	17,000
Tone.....	25-50c higher
Best heavies.....	\$14.50@14.60
Medium and mixed.....	\$14.50@14.75
Com. to choice pigs.....	\$14.50@14.75
Bulk of sales.....	\$14.50@14.75
CATTLE—	
Receipts.....	800
Tone.....	Steady
Steers.....	\$14.00@18.00
Cows and heifers.....	\$5.00@13.50
SHEEP—	
Receipts.....	500
Tone.....	Steady
Top.....	\$7.50@8.50

Suit for \$300 damages against Walker N. Hines, director general of the railroads, was filed in the Daviess circuit court Monday by William M. Seal, James C. Patterson and James L. Seal. They allege the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company failed to supply the necessary cars for the shipment of certain livestock from Logansport to Cincinnati last September, the delay in furnishing the cars causing a shrinkage in the stock and a loss of \$1 a hundred on the market price thereof.

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11:15 p. m.

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Keep your hands clean, drink plenty of fresh water; sleep with windows open; eat three uniform meals a day including a good breakfast.

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Pour three-quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Arcine into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled.

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INCOME TAX DUE AFTER JANUARY 1 (Continued from first page)

year, although the rate still is far greater than pre-war rates.

The exemptions of \$1,000 for single persons and \$2,000 married persons and heads of families remain the same as for 1918. The normal rate for 1918 is 4 per cent on the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemptions and 8 per cent on the remaining net income. Last year the normal rate was 6 and 12 per cent, respectively.

Surtax rates are the same as last year. They started with 16 per cent on the amount of net income between \$5,000 and \$6,000 and increased by steps of 1 per cent for each \$2,000 of net income up to and including \$2,000 of net income up to and including 48 per cent on net income in excess of \$98,000, and not over \$100,000. The surtax on net incomes over \$100,000 and not over \$150,000, is 52 per cent; on net incomes over \$150,000 and not over \$200,000, it is 56 per cent; on net incomes over \$200,000 and not over \$300,000, it is 60 per cent; on net incomes over \$300,000 and not over \$500,000, it is 63 per cent; on net incomes over \$500,000 and not over \$1,000,000, it is 64 per cent; and on net incomes over \$1,000,000, it is 65 per cent.

Besides the exemption of \$1,000 for single persons and \$2,000 for married there is an additional exemption of \$200, for each dependent under 18 years of age.

Every person whose income equaled or exceeded \$1,000 for single persons or \$2,000, of those who are married, must file a return regardless of whether the income is large enough to require the payment of the tax.

Forms for making returns will be available at offices of collectors of internal revenue and deputy collectors, postoffices and banks. What is

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known as form 1049 A, is for use of those with incomes of \$5,000 or less while form 1040 is for those with larger incomes.

Taxpayers must report under gross income salaries, including bonuses, interest received on notes and from bank deposits, dividends on stocks, profits from the sale of property, profits from stock market transactions, income from fiduciaries, partnership profits, and royalties from mines, oil wells, patents, copyrights, and franchises.

The rates for the current year are to be 4 per cent on the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemption, which is \$2,000 for married persons and \$200 additional for each child and \$1,000 for single persons, and 8 per cent on the net income in excess of \$4,000, minus the exemptions.

The rates paid on the 1918 income were 6 per cent and 12 per cent respectively. Surtaxes remain the same as last year.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of thanking our friends here who so kindly assisted us at the funeral and burial of our beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Childers. Especially do we wish to thank Mrs. Frank Bush for her valuable service in making arrangements to take care of members of the funeral party who accompanied the remains to Seymour, Rev. F. A. Hayward for his consoling words and the undertaker, Mr. F. J. Voss. Your kindness will ever be remembered.

Sons and Daughter.

Advertised List.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Seymour, Ind., and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.

Miss Nellie Barrett, Mrs. Susan Borden, Mrs. W. S. Budd, Miss Grace Goble, Miss Metta Hall, Mrs. Vevie Jackson, Mrs. Mary E. Smith.

MEN.

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December 29, 1919.



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CHAPTER XII.

My Friend, the Deputy Sheriff.

Well below the surface, yet impelled swiftly downward by the sturdy rush of the current, sweeping about the steamer's stern, I struck out with all the strength of my arms, anxious to attain in that first effort the greatest possible distance. I came panting up to breathe, my face lifted barely above the surface, dashing the water from my eyes, and casting one swift glance backward toward the landing. Great volumes of black smoke swept forth from the funnels and my ears could distinguish the ceaseless hiss of steam. Again I permitted my body to sink into the depths, swimming onward with easier stroke, satisfied I had not been seen.

I swam slowly ashore, creeping up the low bank into the seclusion of a shallow, sandy gully, scooped out by the late rains. Immediately about me all was silent, the steadily deepening gloom rendering my surroundings vaguely indistinct.

Thus far I possessed no plan—except to seek her. I would venture forward, rather blindly trusting that good fortune might direct my steps aright. I would have to discover first of all, where Kirby had taken Eloise—into whose hands he had deposited the girl for safekeeping. This task ought not to be difficult. The settlement was small, and the camp itself not a large one; no such party could hope to enter its confines without attracting attention, and causing comment. Once I had thus succeeded in locating her, the rest ought to prove comparatively easy—a mere matter of action. For I had determined to play the spy no longer; to cease being a mere shadow. I proposed finding Eloise, and telling her the whole truth; following that, and assured of her support, I would defy Kirby, denounce him if necessary to the military authorities, identifying myself by means of my army commission, and insist on the immediate release of the girl. The man had broken no law—unless the wanton killing of Shunk could be proven against him—and I might not be able to compel his arrest. Whatever he suspected now relative to his prisoner, he had originally supposed her to be his slave, his property, and hence possessed a right now under the law to restrain her liberty. But even if I was debarred from bringing the man to punishment, I could break his power, and overturn his plans. Beyond that it would be a personal matter between us; and the thought gave me joy.

I attained my feet, confident and at ease, and advanced up the gully, moving cautiously, so as not to run blindly upon some sentry post in the darkness. There would be nervous sol-him so blame drunk afore," he said, regretfully. "He an' Kirby hed a row, an' I reckon thet's what started him drinkin'."

"A row; a quarrel, you mean?" forgetting myself in surprise. "Who's Kirby?"

"Joe Kirby; yer sure must know him if yer a river man. Slim sorter feller, with a smooth face; slickest gambler ever wus, I reckon."

"Why, of course," getting control of myself once more. "We picked him up, 'long with Tim, down river. Hed two women with 'em, didn't they? run-away niggers?"

Rale winked facetiously, evidently rather proud of the exploit as it had been related to him.

"Wal, ther way I understan', they wa'n't both of 'em niggers; however, that was the story told on board. This yere Joe Kirby is pretty slick, let me tell you. One of 'em's a white gurl, who just pretended she was a nigger. I reckon thet even Kirby didn't catch on ter her game at furst; an' when he did he wus too blame smart ter ever

let her know. She don't think he knows yet, but she's liable fer ter find out mighty soon."

"But he cannot hold a white woman," I protested stoutly.

"Can't, hey! Wal, I reckon there are ways o' even doin' thet, an' if thar be, Kirby'll find it. I reckon she won't find no chance ter raise a holler fore he's got her tied good an' strong."

"Do you mean," I asked, horrified, "that he will compel her to marry him?"

"Sum smart little guesser, ain't yer? I reckon she's in a right smart way ter do it, et thet."

"And wus this the cause of the quarrel between Kirby and Kennedy?"

"Wal, I reckon it wus; leas'twise Tim wudn't be mixed up in the affair none. They hed it pruttly blame hot, an' I reckon thar'd bin a dead deputy if hedn't bin fer me. Tim thought I wus a pruttly gud frien' an' cum over yere ter liquor, an' eat. Ther joke ov it is, he never know'd thet Joe hed told me all 'bout the fix he wuz in, afore we cum ashore. H—, it wus all fixed up what wus ter be done—only we didn't expect the steamer wus goin' on north. Thar's sum boys wantin' a drink; see yer agin."

I finished shaving, making no attempt to hurry, busily thinking over this new situation. In the first place why had Rale told me all this? I felt convinced the man had some purpose in his conversation, and that he had not finished all he intended to say, when the entrance of customers compelled his return to the bar. His parting words implied that. Perhaps the revolt of the deputy made it necessary for the conspirators to select another helper to properly carry out their nefarious scheme, and Rale had decided that I might answer. I hoped this might prove the explanation and determined to seek the earliest opportunity to impress upon that individual the fact that I was desperately in need of money, and decidedly indifferent as to how it was obtained.

The two soldiers, whose entrance had interrupted our talk, remained at the bar drinking until after I had completed my toilet, and were still there listening to a story Rale was telling when the slatternly white woman announced that supper was ready to serve. Tim slept soundly, while the other men remained engrossed in their game of cards. Rale glanced about at these as though to reassure himself that they were intent on their play then, removing his apron, he crossed the room and drew up a chair opposite me.

"All right, Sal," he granted shortly. "Bring on what yer got."

He remained silent, staring moodily at the fire, until after the woman had spread out the dishes on the table before him. Then his eyes fell upon the fare.

"Nice looking mess that," he growled, surveying the repast with undisguised disgust. "No wonder we don't do no business with thet kind of a cook. No, yer needn't stay—go an' make up them beds in the other room. I'll watch things yere."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Miss Blanche Pegg, of Indianapolis, was called here Monday evening as special nurse for Dr. G. G. Graessle, who is a patient at the Schneek Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Edgar Williams and son, Carroll, returned to their home at Bicknell after spending the holidays with relatives and friends.

A. C. Branaman went to Browns-town this morning to transact business in circuit court.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

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The Home Department of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Alex. Williams at her home on East Seventh street Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The following program will be rendered:

Songs—"Let the Lower Lights be Burning." "Will There be Any Stars in My Crown?"

Responsive reading, John 3:1-18. Song—"Love Lifted Me."

Prayer by Mrs. Minerva Glasson. Song—"Rest for the Weary."

Lesson Study lead by Mrs. Erwin Culver.

Song—"O, How I Love Jesus." Business session.

Closing Program. The following readings will be given:

"A Live Home Department in Toronto," by Mrs. Alex. Williams.

"The Conversion of a Manchurian Bandit," by Mrs. Willis Carlock.

"When the Long Lane Turned," by Mrs. Charles Stanfield.

"A Japanese Home Department," by Mrs. Thos. Brooks.

"A Prayer for the New Home," by Mrs. Henry Largent.

"The Joy of the Discoverer," by Mrs. Albert Kackley, of Zanesville, Indiana.

New Year Mottoes by each member present.

Song, "God Be With Us Till We Meet Again."

STEWART-WETZEL.

A pretty home wedding occurred Thursday evening, Dec. 25 at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford A. Stewart at Crothersville, when their daughter Fern was united in marriage to Louis O. Wetzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wetzel.

Only the immediate relatives and few friends were present. Rev. R. S. Hendricks, of Clifty, formerly M. E. pastor here, performed the ceremony. After the ceremony a bountiful dinner was served at the bride's home.

Mr. Wetzel is a graduate of the Crothersville High School and of Indiana University class of 1916. He taught one year in the Worthington High School. He also served in the World War, being in the 30th Division. He was in several of the biggest battles, one of which was on Sept. 29, 1918 when the Hindenburg

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The bride formerly taught in the Scott county schools. She is a graduate of the Crothersville High School and attended Central Normal College at Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetzel will make their home on the farm just east of Crothersville where Mr. Wetzel has in readiness a new bungalow.

Judge and Mrs. C. A. Galbraith, of Ada, Okla., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Voss, left this morning for Washington, D. C., where they will visit before returning home.

Mrs. John McMurray and son, Robert, returned to Indianapolis after spending Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Harsh.

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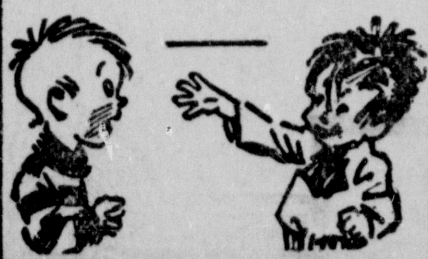
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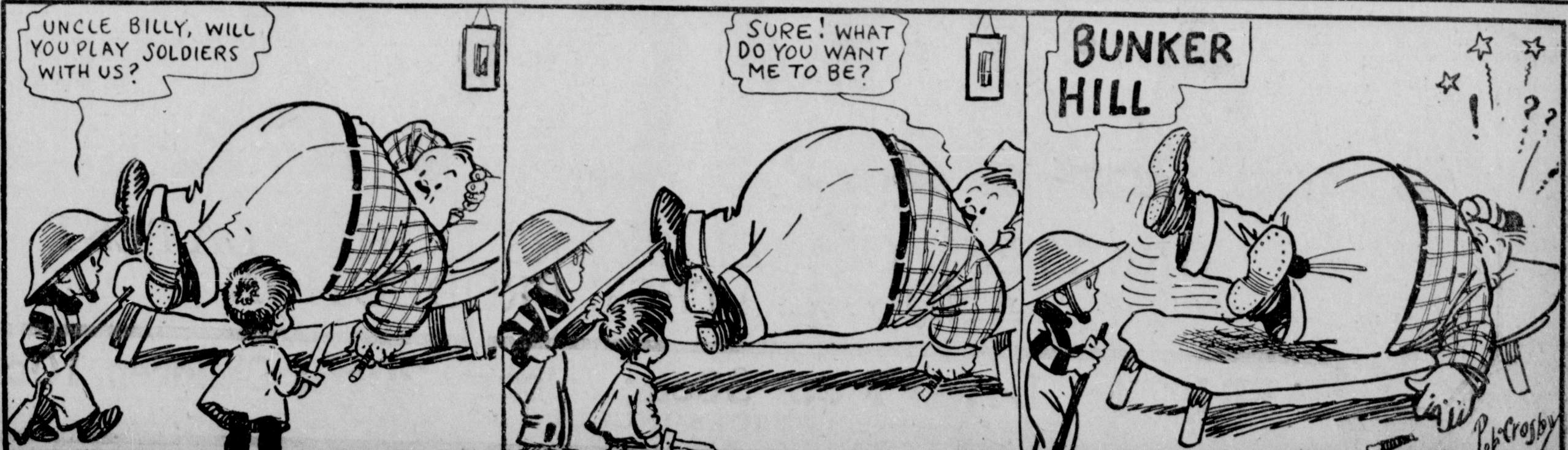
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for
\$69.50 values **\$49.50**
for

COATS

30 Coats up to **\$13.50**
\$22.50 val. for
25 Coats up to **\$17.50**
\$27.50 val. for
20 Coats up to **\$23.50**
\$39.50 val. for
17 Coats up to **\$47.50**
\$69.50 val. for

20% Discount on all Sweaters
25% Discount on all Furs.



Specials For Friday and Saturday

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL—50 Waists put on sale—values up to \$8.50 for one day's sale—choice.....\$4.50
SATURDAY'S SPECIALS—\$2.50 value House Dresses at.....\$1.50
Bungalow Aprons, dark colors, \$2.00 values for.....\$1.50

GOLD MINE DEPARTMENT STORE

MUSIC ROLLS

At The
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Our Large Shipment Just In
All the NEW, POPULAR SONG HITS
COME EARLY!

Free Flour

would not enable the baker to sell a 5c pound loaf, as the "high cost of bread" is not in the flour. Buy

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the cheapest and best ingredient in good bread and bake your own 5c loaf.

Make your own bread—
Save the baker's overhead

Blish Milling Company
"Millers in Colonial Days"

Watch Night Service.

A special watch night service will be held December 31 at the Cortland M. E. church. It will begin at 8 o'clock. All who are interested in the betterment of church conditions at that place are very cordially invited to attend.

Rev. P. H. Downey.

Calling Cards.

One hundred calling cards, single line, for 75c. Republican Office.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued at the clerk's office in Brownstown today to the following:

Clifford Daulton and Eliza Hankins both of Carr township. Clifford Barr and Josie Callahan, both of Brownstown township.

Muslin Signs, "NO HUNTING NOR TRESPASSING" for posting your farm, 10c each, 90c per dozen, at Republican Office.

FOR SALE—Comb honey and new crop of Sorghum. Phone X-676. d8dtf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping with bath. Call R-230. n28-dtf

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, gas and electric lights. See L. L. Downing. j1d

FOR RENT—One furnished room with heat and bath. 317 East Third. j5d

INSURANCE AGENCIES—I have taken over what are known as the Massman, H. P. Miller and C. F. Bush insurance agencies, formerly owned by S. H. Amick, and all business in connection with these agencies is conducted from my office. Your business is solicited and will be appreciated. Harry Findley. f-1wkem.

USED TIRES AND TUBES—In good condition at bargain prices. Vulcanizing and Double Treading. Auto tops etc. J. Fettig Co. o16d&wtf

MACHINE SHOP—General repair work of all kinds. Gasoline engines a specialty. One mile south of Seymour. Phone 377-2. d30-tu-fri-wk-tf

AUTO LICENSE—Blanks filled at Republican. If I secured your license last year, I have description of car. A. E. Carter. j5d&w

HEMSTITCHING—10c yard on all materials. Special discount on quantity orders. Mrs. Darling, 612 Ewing street. d18dtf

WE BUY EVERYTHING—Shoes, Clothes, Furniture, stoves. Call us when selling. Our truck will call. Telephone 714. d17dtf

TAXI SERVICE—Day or night, city or county. Phone 296. Residence phone 67. Tip Richardson. m27dtf

CITY TRANSFER—John Marquette. Phone 157. j10d

BAGGAGE TRANSFER—Grover Marquette. Phone 85. Residence Phone R-281. s6dtf

TAXI SERVICE—City and country calls given prompt attention. D. DeMatteo. Phone 382. n29dtf

LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE HAULING—Central Garage, phone 70, rear of postoffice. d2dtf

TYPEWRITERS—A few high class ones at old prices. J. H. Eudaly Postal Tel. Office. d19dtf

WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder Wednesday. Much colder by Wednesday night.

COUNTY TREASURER MADE PARTY TO THE TAX CASES

Complaints Amended by Agreement and Judgement Will Not Be Entered for Present.

Philip Zoercher, a member of the state tax board, who is representing Albert Luedtke, county auditor, defendant in the local tax cases, was at Brownstown today on business in connection with the two suits.

Zoercher conferred with Judge O. H. Montgomery, attorney for G. H. Anderson, representing the taxpayers of Seymour, and the Blish Milling Company, the plaintiffs, and it was agreed that the county treasurer should be made a party defendant to the two actions.

It was further agreed that no judgement would be entered in either case for the present as it is expected that the appellate court will soon pass upon a case appealed from Marion county in which similar questions are raised. Accordingly, Judge Cox will not enter judgement until the close of the present term, at least.

It is expected that the county auditor will hold the tax duplicates for several weeks in expectation that definite decision will be rendered.

In Loving Remembrance

Of our dear wife and mother, Nora A. Green, who departed from this life December 25, 1919.

Darling mother, you have left us For that heavenly home on high, Oh, what rejoicing when we meet thee, In that home beyond the sky. You suffered long and murmured not; Though far away, you're not forgotten.

The Lord in his infinite mercy, Did all things for the best, And took our dear mother home to rest.

And I know she is just over there, We shall know her again, In that home of the blest.

In that beautiful isle of somewhere, Sleep, dear mother, your troubles are o'er, Sweet be thy rest, so oft needed before.

Husband, Children and Sister. d1t

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my neighbors and friends who were so kind and helpful to me during the illness and death of my husband, Robert W. Irwin. Also Rev. W. E. Carroll, the undertaker F. J. Voss, the G. A. R. Post and all who sent floral offerings. Their kindness will always be remembered.

Mrs. M. F. Irwin.

Baby Adams.

Francis Paul Adams, second son of Clarence and Arville A. Adams, was born November 8, 1916, and died on December 5, 1919, aged three years and 27 days. The baby was of a sweet and lovable disposition and endeared himself to everyone who knew him. He will be greatly missed by his parents, two little brothers, his grandparents and other relatives and friends.

Miss Edna Hodapp, society editor of the Republican, is confined to her home on account of illness.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

Matinee and Night NEW YEAR'S PROGRAM Thursday, Jan. 1st

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